



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Applicant:**

NOAM KEDEM

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For: CONNECTOR WITH  
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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: